

SPECIAL ATTRACTIONS

AT THE
ONE-PRICE STORE.

Side band suitings, closing price, 7c a yard.

Outing cloths in beautiful patterns, at 8c and 10c a yard.

Flannellettes in new and stylish patterns at 12c a yard.

Dress gingham, 5, 8 and 10c a yard.

A few pieces of Scotch gingham at 20c, worth 25c a yard.

Still a few chilies at 4c and 6c a yard.

Also a few more pieces of checked material at 25c a yard.

Mohairs in all shades at 25, 37 1/2 and 50c a yard.

White goods in all the newest materials and at lowest prices.

A special bargain in pure Turkey red table covers, 8-1, 50c and 8-10 27 1/2c each.

Table linens, towels and napkins in endless variety, and at prices that defy competition.

Another case of white bed quilts at \$1 each.

Ladies' and Gents' underwear and hosiery in great assortment and at bottom prices.

Large stock of bleached and unbleached cottons and sheetings in all widths.

Children's white lace hats and caps from 15c up.

Fans, Fans, Fans, from 2c up.

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134 SALEM AVENUE, S. W.

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White Bread Flour!

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WHITE BREAD FLOUR.

BY DOING SO YOU CAN SAVE

FIFTEEN PER CENT.

AT

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To any one who can furnish the slightest proof of the slightest adulteration in the

Famous and Popular

WHITE BREAD

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Use No Other.

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AT COST

For 30 Days.

OUR ENTIRE STOCK OF

DRY

GOODS

Consisting of Foreign and Domestic

DRESS GOODS,

Ginghams, Satines, Challies,

Bleached and Unbleached

Cottons and Sheetings, etc.

WILL BE OFFERED AT

PRIME COST

FOR THE NEXT

30 DAYS.

Our Remnant Counter is now ready,

where you can select

REMNANTS

at any Price

A Walnut, Ash or Ebony

POLE GIVEN AWAY with

every pair of LACE CURTAINS

bought to the value of \$2.00

per pair or upwards.

ROSENBAUM BROS

42 Salem avenue.

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FOR YOUR

GROCERIES,

Cold Lunch Counter attached,

where cold lunches are served from 5 a. m. to 12 p. m.

Fish, Clams and Game in

season a specialty.

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Practical Plumber

GAS and STEAM FITTER.

And dealer in all kinds of Plumber,

Gas and Steam Fitters' Supplies.

Prompt Attention to Orders, and

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Real Estate Agents,

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We have a fine list of property from

which to select.

In location, price and terms, we

hope to suit all. If you have

PROPERTY

To sell or exchange, call.

Best of references given. jun16 1m

DYEING,

CLEANING and REPAIRING

You will save money by bringing

your dirty clothes to be cleaned or

dyed and repaired to me. Charges

moderate. Work first class.

E. Walsak,

Corner Campbell and Henry street,

Roanoke, Va.

Returns to the West.

Mr. T. B. Ferguson, of the St. Joseph,

Mo., Daily News, who has been

spending some time in Roanoke

and vicinity, writes, "I think I

will leave this morning for home."

Mr. Ferguson has been living in the West

at Minneapolis, Omaha and St. Joseph

for the past ten years, and has

been very successful in business. He

is very much impressed with the

growth of Roanoke, and has made

several investments in real estate

here.

Bedford City Booming.

Mr. George Colgate, of Bedford

City, was in the city yesterday. He

is very enthusiastic over the growth

of his town, and says that

over \$300,000 worth of real estate

has been sold in the past few

weeks. A large number of new

industries have also been located

and more are expected. Mr. Colgate

ROANOKE.

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EVANS & CHALMERS.

Still keep the largest

assortment of

HARDWARE

In Southwest Virginia.

They have just received a large supply

-OF-

Lap Robes, Horse Covers

Breech Loading Guns,

-AND-

Sporting Goods.

Miner's and Railroad Supplies

A Specialty.

17 and 19 Second Street, southwest

Exchange Building Cafe

-AND-

DINING ROOMS

Are now prepared to furnish meals at

POPULAR PRICES.

Table boarders can be accommodated

and will receive prompt and

careful attention.

STEAKS, CHOPS, AND ALL

DISHES TO ORDER

SERVED IN FIRST

CLASS STYLE.

Cold Lunch Counter attached,

where cold lunches are served from

5 a. m. to 12 p. m.

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ABOUT THE HOTELS.

Items of Interest Among Prominent

People.

Senator Johnson, of Christians-

burg, is stopping at the Continental.

He is a slender gentleman with a

brown beard and mustache, and has

a host of friends in this city. Sen-

ator Johnson is one of the best law-

yers in the State, is a fine business

man and is a type of the Southwest-

ern Virginian who welcomes him to

Northern capital and enterprise. His

being seriously considered in con-

nection with the Congressional

movement in this district, and if he

is chosen he will make a good record

in the House.

Mr. W. W. Strongfellow, his wife

and ward, are at the Hotel Roanoke.

Mr. Strongfellow is from Anniston,

Ala., and he thinks that Roanoke is to

Virginia what Anniston is to his

native State. He expresses himself

as amazed at the progress made in

Southwest Virginia since he last

visited it.

Judge George G. Junkin, of Mont-

gomery county, was at the Conti-

nental yesterday.

Mr. George S. Sartin was in town

yesterday. He has a long black

mustache and is the secretary of a

large nursery just outside of Danville.

Mr. Sartin is of the opinion that

Southwest Virginia is destined to be

one of the richest parts of the South.

He has had great success here.

At the Hotel Roanoke is Mr. Frank

D. Hill, the well known insurance

and real estate agent of Richmond.

Mr. Hill is one of the most enterpris-

ing of the Capital City's business

FLAT TOP COAL.

POCAHONTAS DISTRICT THE

GREATEST IN THE WORLD.

EDITOR SLACK'S REMARKS ON IT

A Yearly Output of Two Million and

a Quarter Tons - The Royalty It Pays.

Interesting Statistics - Thousands of

Miners Employed.

In his address before the Tennessee

Press Association, President Slack,

editor of the Bristol Courier, had this

to say of the mineral interests of this

section:

Did you know that the Pocahontas

district is the greatest coal produc-

ing district in the world? In 1887 the

total coal company owning the

lands in the vicinity of Flat Top

mountain were all consolidated into

what is known as the Flat Top Land

Trust, which now owns most of the

lands with the exception of those

owned by the Crozier Land Company.

No land is sold for any purpose at

any price—all being held and worked

by the operators under lease.

The royalties are from 6 to 10 cents

for every ton of coal sold as coal,

and 12 to 15 cents for each ton of coke

produced. A minimum royalty of

\$7,500 per year is required from each

lease. There were fifteen leases in

this field in 1888. The total land

covered by these leases is only about

10,000 acres of the 216,000 acres of coal

land in the district, and only about

9,000 acres of the 162,000 actually

underlaid with coal. The No. 3 vein,

the one worked, has an average thick-

ness of about eight feet. At the usual

estimate of 1,000 tons per acre for

each foot of coal, from these figures

some idea of the vast amount of coal

in this field can be gained. On the

basis of 7,500 tons of coal to an acre,

a shipment of 7,500 tons a day would

exhaust but 300 acres annually.

This would give a yearly output of

2,250,000 tons. At this rate of pro-

duction the leases actually given

would supply the demand for thirty

years, and the other veins that will

be available when No. 3 is ex-

hausted, will yield fully as much

more. The first shipments of coal

from this field were made in 1888,

the first shipment being 500 tons.

In estimating profits, the

Pennsylvania idea should be borne in

mind. That is, that pay is largely in

store orders, which may be regarded

as reducing the cost or increasing the

profits. Now, as a conclusion of this

matter, we find that owners receive

about \$200,000 a year in royalties,

that the lessees clear nearly a half-

million dollars a year; that the Nor-

folk and Western railroad receives a

handsome profit every year for haul-

ing seventy-five thousand car loads

of coal to market, and thousands of

miners, employees and agents make

a good living out of the business. It

would be profitable to study these

statistics, even more fully than they

are here given, and interesting to

make a comparative analysis of this

and other coal fields. But such a

thing is impossible now. This partic-

ularization has been made. More

fully to impress upon you that today

new railroads are opening up fields

equally as rich in adjoining coun-

ties.

Hotel Roanoke Arrivals.

C. A. Leader, St. Louis; Charles P

Childs, Louisville; W. P. Lucas, Balti-

more; T. J. Hayward, Baltimore; Paul

Narath, New York; Mr. and Mrs. G. P.

Brown, Philadelphia; G. D. Andrews,

RAILROAD NOTES.

One of the largest and most elegantly-furnished offices in Richmond

is the Norfolk and Western Railroad

Company's, corner Ninth and Main

streets, the State office. The Nor-

folk and Western's Richmond busi-

ness has been growing steadily,

under the energetic working up of

its popular agent, Robert W. Court-

ney, and larger quarters became

necessary for its accommodation.

Today the company had a formal

opening, and Mr. Courtney enter-

tained his friends most hospitably.

No guests went away hungry or

thirsty. The familiar trademark, "N.

W. & W. R. Co." in red is displayed

conspicuously from every part of the

building. Two days in Manchester can

see it towering above every object on

Main street—Richmond State.